Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota Office of the Governor

Whereas, In 2015, an estimated 589,430 individuals in this nation died due to cancer, while an estimated 4,520 of new cancer cases were reported for individuals living in South Dakota; and,

Whereas, In 2015, approximately 1,632 deaths were reported in South Dakota from all forms of cancer; and,

Whereas, Cancer is the second most common cause of death in South Dakota; and,

Whereas, Cancer is not biased and will effect children, adults, and elderly; and,

Whereas, It was decided to establish an all women dart league in Yankton, South Dakota, and call it "Pink Ladies Dart League", with league profits going towards assisting those afflicted with breast cancer and eventually directed all profits to benefit all women, men, and children affected by cancer; and,

Whereas, The cost to fight cancer increases annually and places a burden on those battling the disease; and,

Whereas, People who are suffering or are in need of assistance to help ease the cancer battle, so the Pink Ladies step in and help by cleaning house, cooking meals, and any additional jobs; and,

Whereas, Pink Ladies Dart League assist those fighting cancer and attempt to help enhance a better life for South Dakota residents fighting cancer, and their moto is "No One Fights Alone":

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim October 14, 2016, as

PINK LADIES DART LEAGUE DAY

in South Dakota.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-seventh Day of September in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Sixteen.

Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Shantel Krebs, Secretary of State

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